

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Bordertown Racecourse
by the Bordertown Racing Club on Wednesday, 9 January 2019

Stewards: S. Callanan (A/Chairman), C. Deakin (HT), M. Williams (F) (Stewards), T. Vanderstok & A. Streckbein (Cadet Stewards), Dr D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 3 (Track with good grass coverage and cushion)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

RACE 1: BORDER AG / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

JOHN'S STRATEGY (J. Lorensini) - raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages of the event.

OLIVER'S TALE (K. Lau) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

SIR JOHNSON (E. Finnegan) - inside the 600 metres became awkward on the heels of GOOD NIC for a number of strides.

BOTTLE AND BIRD (K. Crowther) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CERTAIN SUCCESS (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly. Laid out from rounding the home turn and in the straight.

RACE 2: BORDERTOWN PUMPS & REFRIGERATION / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1300 metres

ALMADRAM (J. Lorensini) - performed poorly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CANIDAE (S. Fawke) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted MR BOTTERILL.

MR BOTTERILL (L. Williams) - on jumping away contacted by CANIDAE. In the vicinity of the 400 metres improved onto the heels of CANIDAE, which was weakening, and got its head up when being restrained.

COVER GIRL (K. Crowther) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

SCOPEN SUCCESS (J. Maund) - rider explained that the mare raced off the bridle throughout the event and despite his efforts was reluctant to improve. Trainer, Ms C. Scown, advised the mare would now be spelled. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3: TASC0 / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE – 1550 metres

JOHN'S LAST SONG (C. Caserta) – at the entrance to the straight rolled out onto WARMINGTON RUN which was taken out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

NEED PRAGMATISM (J. Lorensini) – laid out over the concluding stages of the event.

SANDHILL CHEVY (P. Marks) – raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event and got its head up on a number of occasions when being restrained.

BUJOLASS (S. Fawke) – at the entrance to the straight raced in restricted room as JOHN'S LAST SONG rolled out onto WARMINGTON RUN, which was obliged to be eased when taken out at the same time as SAYEDDA hung in. As a result BUJOLASS was obliged to be eased and shift out to obtain clear running.

WARMINGTON RUN (A. Jordsjo) – at the entrance to the straight was obliged to be eased when taken out as JOHN'S LAST SONG rolled out.

SAYEDDA (K. Crowther) – hung in from the entrance to the straight for the remainder of the event.

SIZZKYE (J. Maund) – in the vicinity of the 200 metres elected to shift to the outside of NEED PRAGMATISM, which laid in. Laid out over the concluding stages of the event.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Maund (SIZZKYE), placed second, and trainer, Mr D. Shepherd, to view the official vision in the straight. After doing so J. Maund lodged an objection against NEED PRAGMATISM (J. Lorensini) being declared the winner on the grounds of alleged interference from in the vicinity of the 250 metres until the finish. After considering the evidence, viewing the films and acting on their own observations Stewards *dismissed* the objection.

Correct weight was further delayed to allow S. Fawke (BUJOLASS), placed fourth, and trainer, Ms K. Mooney, to view the official vision in the straight. After doing so Ms Mooney lodged an objection against SAYEDDA (K. Crowther) being declared the third placegetter on the grounds of alleged interference at the entrance to the straight. After considering the evidence, viewing the films and acting on their own observations Stewards *dismissed* the objection.

RACE 4: MICHELLE'S PET & HOME SERVICE BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 2000 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately five minutes owing to the protest hearings in Race 3.

ATHOS (C. Caserta) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

STRATEGIC GLASS (J. Lorensini) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course and found to be lame in the near foreleg. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew STRATEGIC GLASS at 2.22 pm. Trainer, Mrs S. Jaensch, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

CENTENARY SHOT (J. Maund) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

I'M BULLETPROOF (E. Finnegan) – passing the winning post on the first occasion was obliged to be eased when tightened onto CENTENARY SHOT as PAT THE WEAPON rolled in. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

BASSONS (J. Potter) – in the vicinity of the 1600 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of CENTENARY SHOT and was obliged to be restrained.

PAT THE WEAPON (G. Lo) – passing the winning post on the first occasion rolled in onto I'M BULLETPROOF. Appeared to jump the crossing in the vicinity of the 1600 metres.

RACE 4: MICHELLE'S PET & HOME SERVICE BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 2000 metres (cont'd)

LADY BARRON (A. Jordsjo) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

SLALOM (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

STAR D'VEGA (S. Fawke) - inclined to rear on jumping away.

RACE 5: WILLOW GROVE STUD BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1550 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately five minutes owing to the delay experienced in the previous event and JACKTHEGIANTSLAYER having to be reshod.

CRYSTAL GLASS (J. Lorensini) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Held up for a short distance at the entrance to the straight.

ART MUSIC (S. Fawke) - slow into stride. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

JACKTHEGIANTSLAYER (E. Finnegan) - obliged to be reshod on arrival at the barriers as it had lost its off fore plate during the pre-parade. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Held up for clear running from rounding the home turn until in the vicinity of the 200 metres.

STRATEGIC SPICE (C. Puls) - saddle slipped forward in the vicinity of the 1300 metres placing C. Puls at a disadvantage for the remainder of the event.

RACE 6: WILLOW GROVE STUD BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1550 metres

GROOVE WITH ME (J. Lorensini) - on jumping away contacted with SYLVAN CREST. In the vicinity of the 200 metres shifted in slightly onto TROOPER'S PLOY, which was weakening and obliged to be steadied as HASTA LA SPEC rolled out. Rider reprimanded and advised to take greater care in future.

WILDWOOD COURT (J. Huxtable) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TROOPER'S PLOY (E. Boyd) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 200 metres when weakening was obliged to be steadied as GROOVE WITH ME shifted in slightly and HASTA LA SPEC rolled out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SYLVAN CREST (K. Crowther) - on jumping away contacted with GROOVE WITH ME. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

REEF'S REVENGE (A. Jordsjo) - over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

HASTA LA SPEC (C. Caserta) - in the vicinity of the 200 metres rolled out and contacted TROOPER'S PLOY.

RACE 7: WILLALOOKA TAVERN BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1300 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to FAY'S JOY breaking through the front of the barriers.

RACE 7: WILLALOOKA TAVERN BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1300 metres (cont'd)

MADJA (J. Lorensini) - marginally slow to begin. Rider explained after being slow to begin he was obliged to settle further back and the mare was reluctant to race inside other runners. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LITTLE HEATH (L. Williams) - dipped on jumping away.

EURO GOLD (S. Fawke) - hung out rounding the home turn and inside the 200 metres continued to hang out, shifted out onto OLATUNJI, which was taken out onto FAY'S JOY, which was hampered. Rider reprimanded and advised to take greater care in future.

GOLDEN MINESHAFT (K. Bishop) - shied at the winning post and shifted out.

SIMPATICO (J. Potter) - acting on a telephone call from Trainer, Ms J. Potts, that she was unable to load the gelding onto the float and therefore would not be able to attend the racecourse by the required time, Stewards withdrew SIMPATICO at 1.03 pm.

OLATUNJI (J. Maund) - inside the 200 metres was taken out onto FAY'S JOY as EURO GOLD, which was inclined to hang out, shifted out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a laceration to the right hind leg.

EQUICHOI (G. Lo) - raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FAY'S JOY (K. Lau) - broke through the front of its barrier stall after being loaded. Was returned behind the barriers and underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Inside the 200 metres hampered as OLATUNJI was taken out by EURO GOLD. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a laceration to the left hind leg. First aid applied.

RACE 8: LOCAL TRAINERS BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to TRIPLE ESS breaking through the front of the barriers after being loaded.

AUSSIE JACK (S. Cahill) - on jumping away taken out onto LUCKY WICK by FEVER.

PARTY SET (C. Lions) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

FEVER (C. Caserta) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto AUSSIE JACK

KNOTTED (K. Bishop) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

TRIPLE ESS (J. Maund) - broke through the front of its barrier stall after being load. Was returned behind the barriers and underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Held up for clear running from rounding the home turn until in the vicinity of the 200 metres where it was obliged to shifted out to obtain clear ground. Rider explained that after being held up from rounding the home turn until the 200 metres and shifting out to obtain clear ground the mare shortened stride and failed to let down, and was disappointing in its efforts to the finish. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ANOTHER KERRIE (P. Marks) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

LUCKY WICK (K. Crowther) - lost its position on jumping away when tightened onto KNOTTED as AUSSIE JACK was taken out.

MONTRE (J. Potter) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (5):

Race 1 - REGINA MARGHERITA (winner)
Race 3 - NEED PRAGMATISM (winner)
Race 5 - JACKTHEGIANTSLAYER (winner)
Race 7 - RED DAZZLE (winner)
Race 8 - AUSSIE JACK (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 6 - J. Lorensini (GROOVE WITH ME) - AR137(a) - Careless riding. Race 7 - S. Fawke (EURO GOLD) - AR137(a) - Careless riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - STRATEGIC GLASS - Not to race - Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race - Lameness near foreleg.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil